

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
TAKASHI KENMOKU ET AL.) Examiner: H. Lilling
Application No.: 10/531,689) Group Art Unit: 1651
International Appln No. PCT/JP03/13531) Confirmation No. 1818
Filed: October 23, 2003)
For: NOVEL)
POLYHYDROXY ALKANOATE :
COPOLYMER INCLUDING)
WITHIN ITS MOLECULE UNIT :
HAVING VINYL GROUP OR)
CARBOXYL GROUP IN SIDE :
CHAIN, AND PRODUCING)
METHOD THEREFOR : September 7, 2006

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Sir:

Applicants' attorneys have received an official Filing Receipt in the above-identified application on which the city of residence of the first, second, third, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth Applicants is incorrectly listed as "Tokyo". The first Applicant's city of residence, as indicated both on the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (filed April 15, 2005) and on the Application Data Sheet (filed April 15, 2005), is "Fujisawa-shi". The second, fifth and eighth Applicants' city of residence, as indicated both on the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and on the Application Data Sheet, is "Atsugi-shi". The third Applicant's city of residence, as indicated both on the Combined

Declaration and Power of Attorney and on the Application Data Sheet, is "Isehara-shi". The sixth Applicant's city of residence, as indicated both on the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and on the Application Data Sheet, is "Yokohama-shi". The seventh Applicant's city of residence, as indicated both on the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and on the Application Data Sheet, is "Chigasaki-shi".

Therefore, the names and addresses of Applicants on the Filing Receipt should read as follows:

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Issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt, corrected as shown above, is accordingly respectfully requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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